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ATTN: SERVICE MANAGERS

GAME: COLONY 7

SUBJECT: SOME 74161 ARE NOT FAST ENOUGH FOR VIDEO COUNTER

SOLUTION: WE RECOMMEND USING A SIGNETICS OR A TEXAS INTERNATIONAL 74161 WHEN REPLACING THESE CHIPS IN THE VIDEO COUNTER CIRCUIT.

PARTS NEEDED: NONE

DISPOSITION OF OLD PARTS: NONE

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81-5

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ATTN: SERVICE MANAGERS	
GAME: COLONY 7	

SUBJECT: FRAGMENT OF EXPLOSION STAYS ON THE SCREEN. FALSE END OF GAME.

IF YOUR HAND GETS NEAR THE CRYSTAL THE VIDEO WILL BE DISTORTED.

SOLUTION: STABILIZE TIMING CIRCUIT BY CHANGING VALUES OF FEEDBACK RESISTOR.

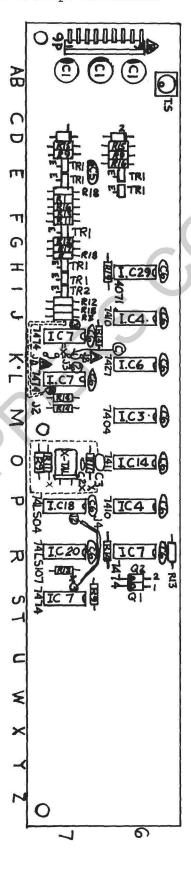
PARTS NEEDED: TWO (2) 470 OHM RESISTORS
ONE (1) 180pf CAPACITOR

DISPOSITION OF OLD PARTS: SCRAP

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PROCEDURE: REPLACE THE TWO (2) RESISTORS (R11) AT LOCATION O7 ON
THE CPU BOARD, REFER TO FIGURE 1. WITH TWO (2) 470 OHM
RESISTORS. THEN CHANGE THE 22pf CAPACITOR AT THE SAME
LOCATION, WITH A 180pf CAPACITOR.

FIGURE 1.



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ATTN: SERVICE MANAGERS

GAME: COLONY 7

SUBJECT: DOT ON SCREEN OR INTERMITANT FREEZE-UP

SOLUTION: IMPROVE MULTIPLEXING TIMING CIRCUIT BY ADDING PULL UP RESISTORS TO CAS AND A PULL DOWN RESISTOR TO RAS.

PARTS NEEDED: TWO 2.2K OHM RESISTORS
ONE 220pf CAPACITOR

PROCEDURE: FIRST DO THE MODIFICATION STATED IN SERVICE TIP 81-5. IN ADDITION TO THAT PROCEDURE ADD A 2.2K OHM RESISTOR TO THE CAS ETCH AS POINTED OUT IN FIGURE 1 AS STEP 1.

IF PART OF THE LETTERING IS MISSING OR SOME DOTS ARE STILL ON THE SCREEN ADD THE 2.2K OHM RESISTOR TO THE RAS ETCH AS POINTED OUT IN FIGURE 1 AS STEP 2.

IN SOME CASES, A 220pf CAPACITOR WILL NEED TO BE ADDED TO THE IC AT LOCATION 7P BETWEEN PINS 2 AND 7 AS SHOWN IN STEP 3 IN FIGURE 1. THE 74161 AT LOCATION 5E (STEP 4) CAUSES TEARING IN PICTURE, PICTURE ROLLING, OR IT WILL CAUSE A RESET.

THE 74161 AT LOCATION 5F (STEP 5) CAUSES HORIZONTAL SYNC PROBLEMS. WHEN THESE 74161 CHIPS NEED TO BE REPLACED, PLEASE USE 74161 BY SIGNETICS.

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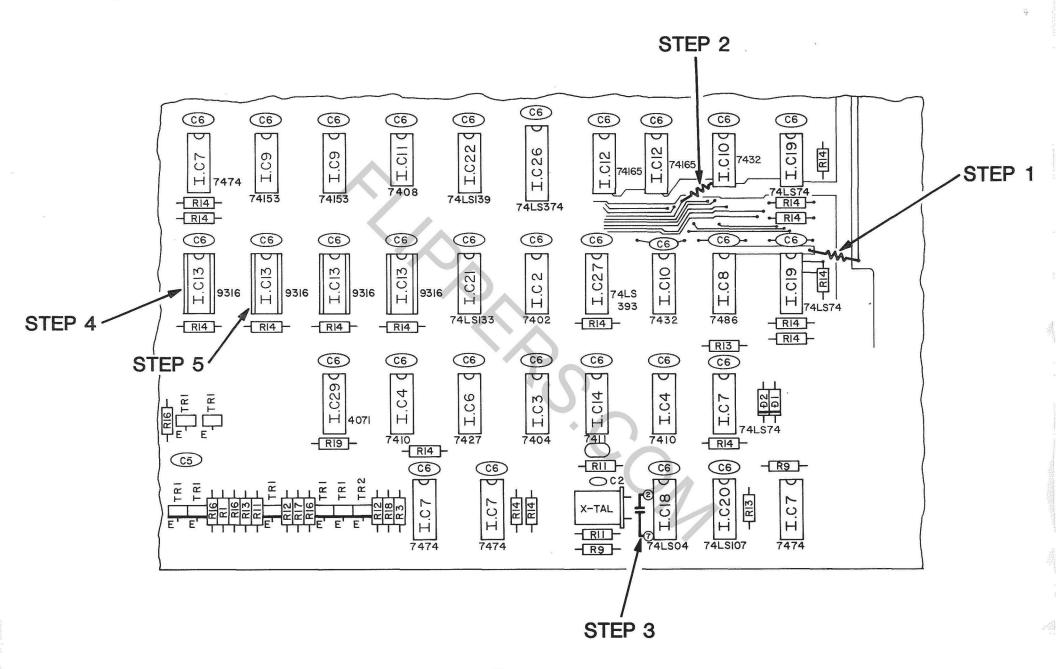


Figure I

TAITO CREDIT PCB POLARIS, STATTOVOX, CRAZY CLIMBER, COLONY 7 ETC. BOARD "D" HAS ONLY I SET OF 4 DIP SWITCHES. FOR 504 PER PLAY, SET SWITCHES As Follows: SW 1 - OFF SWZ - ON SW3 - OFF SW4 - OFF Part # 8000 78 for 31.26 (US.) is available

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ATTN: ALL SERVICE MANAGERS

SUBJECT: COLONY 7

PROBLEM: PUTTING COIN IN DURING ATTRACT MODE DOES NOT ALWAYS PRODUCE CREDIT

SOLUTION: CHANGE ROM'S CS01, CS02, CS03 PER ILLUSTRATIONS

REPLACE CS01 WITH 16-00003-011, CS02 WITH 16-00003-012, AND CS03 WITH

16-00003-013

